

Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
April 6, 1991



Preface

The *Weekly Coal Production* (WCP) provides weekly estimates of U.S. coal production by State. Supplementary data are usually published monthly in two supplements: the Coal Exports and Imports Supplement and the Domestic Market Supplement. The Coal Exports and Imports Supplement contains detailed monthly data on U.S. coal and coke exports and imports. The Domestic Market Supplement contains detailed monthly electric utility coal statistics, by Census Division and State, for generation, consumption, stocks, receipts, sulfur content, prices, and the origin and destination of coal shipments. This supplement also contains summary-level, monthly data for all coal-consuming sectors on a quarterly basis.

Preliminary coal production data are published quarterly, based on production data collected using Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report." Based on 1988 and 1989 data, the coal production estimation error for a quarter at the national level (i.e., the difference between the sum of the weekly estimates for a quarter and the quarterly EIA-6 preliminary data) ranges from 1 percent to 4 percent for 1988 and 1 percent to 2 percent for 1989.

Final coal production data are published annually, based on the EIA-7A coal production survey. Based on 1988 and 1989 data, the revision error for a quarter at the national level (i.e., the difference between the EIA-6 preliminary data and the EIA-7A final data) ranges from 0.02 percent to 0.08 percent for 1988 and 0.09 percent to 0.14 percent for 1989.

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Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended April 6, 1991, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 19 million short tons, slightly lower than in the previous week, and about the same as in the comparable week in 1990. Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 11 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

Coal production in March 1991 was estimated to total 85 million short tons, slightly higher than in February, but 7 percent lower than in March 1990.

This report also contains preliminary revised monthly coal production data for January through December 1990.

Figure 1. Coal Production

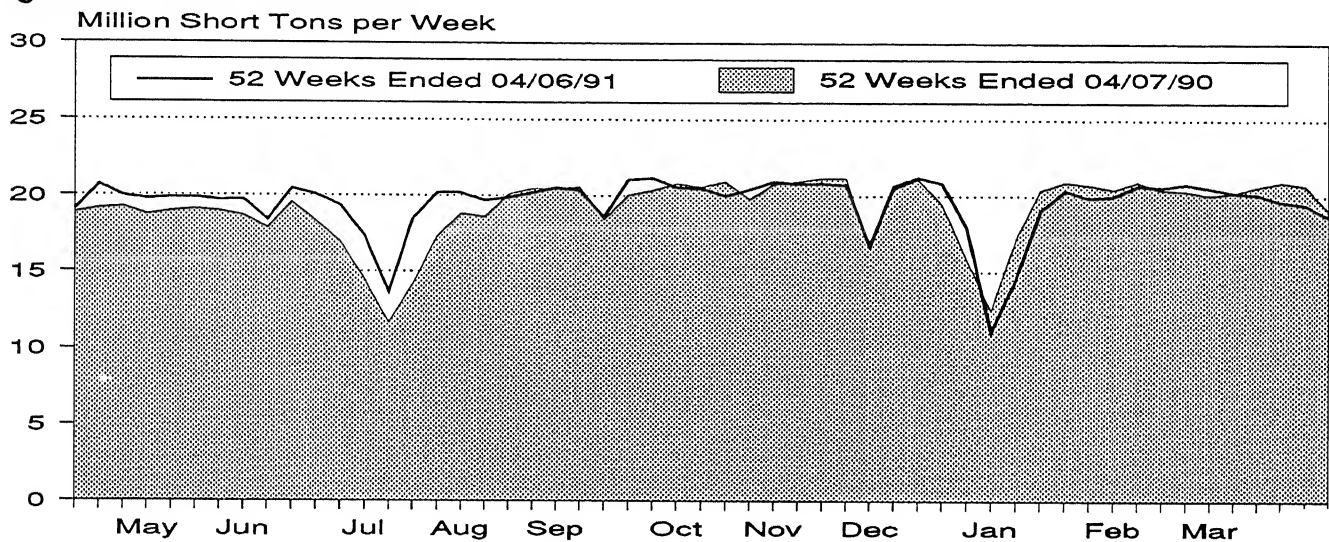


Table 1. Coal Production

	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
Production and Carloadings	04/06/91	03/30/91	04/07/90	04/06/91	04/07/90	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite	18,629	19,429	19,039	1,015,021	993,262	2.2
Pennsylvania Anthracite	54	52	49	2,904	3,148	-7.7
U.S. Total	18,682	19,481	19,089	1,017,925	996,410	2.2
Railroad Cars Loaded	118,359	123,547	125,986	6,616,708	6,459,973	

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	04/06/91	03/30/91	04/07/90
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	10,559	11,224	11,396
Alabama	462	563	540
Illinois	1,116	1,172	1,126
Indiana	684	719	766
Kentucky	2,760	2,853	3,227
Kentucky, Eastern	2,044	2,202	2,434
Kentucky, Western	717	652	793
Maryland	49	52	65
Ohio	611	645	575
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,247	1,298	1,125
Tennessee	117	133	115
Virginia	727	822	876
West Virginia	2,784	2,967	2,981
West of the Mississippi	8,070	8,206	7,643
Alaska	23	32	25
Arizona	197	224	172
Arkansas	*	*	*
Colorado	393	365	352
Iowa	7	7	7
Kansas	16	16	13
Louisiana	67	57	69
Missouri	45	42	47
Montana	707	725	786
New Mexico	435	502	492
North Dakota	583	598	582
Oklahoma	29	30	38
Texas	1,047	1,036	976
Utah	441	413	411
Washington	88	108	
Wyoming	3,991	4,050	
Bituminous¹ and Lignite Total	18,629	19,429	
Pennsylvania Anthracite	54		
U.S. Total	18,682		

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

*Less than 0.5 thousand short tons.

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Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA
coal production reports.

Table 3. Coal Production by State, March 1991
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	March 1991	February 1991	March 1990	Year to Date		Percent Change
				1991	1990	
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite						
East of the Mississippi	49,149	47,004	57,033	145,692	164,122	-11.2
Alabama	2,310	2,192	2,605	6,969	7,594	-8.2
Illinois	5,075	5,114	5,431	15,524	16,408	-5.4
Indiana	3,112	2,873	3,375	9,003	9,229	-2.5
Kentucky	12,799	12,610	15,549	38,491	45,272	-15.0
Kentucky, Eastern	9,835	9,405	11,490	29,126	33,422	-12.9
Kentucky, Western	2,964	3,205	4,059	9,365	11,851	-21.0
Maryland	237	227	327	698	970	-28.0
Ohio	2,820	2,678	3,297	8,316	9,458	-12.1
Pennsylvania Bituminous	5,486	4,884	6,877	15,399	18,716	-17.7
Tennessee	573	541	599	1,713	1,700	.7
Virginia	3,551	3,358	4,403	10,608	12,547	-15.5
West Virginia	13,187	12,527	14,570	38,971	42,226	-7.7
West of the Mississippi	35,644	35,378	34,297	107,107	99,301	7.9
Alaska	139	135	131	400	378	5.8
Arizona	976	948	1,101	2,814	3,169	-11.2
Arkansas	1	1	1	4	4	-15.4
California	-	-	-	-	13	.0
Colorado	1,585	1,792	1,656	5,231	4,975	5.1
Iowa	30	29	33	91	96	-4.8
Kansas	70	68	80	232	228	1.6
Louisiana	259	218	246	715	648	10.4
Missouri	185	180	243	605	702	-13.9
Montana	3,263	3,236	3,191	9,764	9,276	5.3
New Mexico	1,954	1,906	2,148	6,063	5,879	3.1
North Dakota	2,688	2,666	2,649	8,044	7,754	3.7
Oklahoma	130	152	168	445	507	-12.3
Texas	4,521	4,394	4,744	13,646	13,735	-.6
Utah	1,787	2,004	1,960	5,847	5,955	-1.8
Washington	470	456	432	1,316	1,249	5.4
Wyoming	17,586	17,191	15,513	51,890	44,732	16.0
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	84,793	82,382	91,330	252,799	263,422	-4.0
Pennsylvania Anthracite	220	206	266	636	736	-13.7
U.S. Total	85,013	82,588	91,596	253,435	264,159	-4.1

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: 1990 data are preliminary. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 4. Coal Production by State, January-June 1990
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	January	February	March	April	May	June	January-June
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite							
East of the Mississippi	55,845	51,244	57,033	51,406	53,744	52,488	321,760
Alabama	2,614	2,375	2,605	2,505	2,545	2,621	15,266
Illinois	5,798	5,179	5,431	5,076	5,291	4,759	31,534
Indiana	2,908	2,946	3,375	2,979	2,955	2,925	18,088
Kentucky	15,651	14,072	15,549	14,210	14,481	14,207	88,170
Kentucky, Eastern	11,466	10,466	11,490	10,686	10,659	10,466	65,232
Kentucky, Western	4,185	3,606	4,059	3,524	3,822	3,741	22,938
Maryland	343	300	327	283	293	284	1,830
Ohio	3,221	2,940	3,297	2,657	2,798	2,775	17,688
Pennsylvania Bituminous	5,950	5,890	6,877	5,545	6,235	5,936	36,433
Tennessee	571	530	599	545	561	576	3,382
Virginia	4,243	3,902	4,403	4,041	3,974	4,062	24,624
West Virginia	14,545	13,111	14,570	13,566	14,610	14,343	84,745
West of the Mississippi	34,463	30,540	34,297	31,512	32,490	31,825	195,128
Alaska	130	117	131	102	103	101	684
Arizona	1,082	986	1,101	671	674	660	5,174
Arkansas	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
California	13	-	-	-	-	-	13
Colorado	1,722	1,598	1,656	1,519	1,615	1,540	9,649
Iowa	33	30	33	29	30	29	184
Kansas	76	72	80	61	65	64	418
Louisiana	245	157	246	318	314	225	1,505
Missouri	241	218	243	207	216	212	1,336
Montana	3,239	2,846	3,191	3,089	3,050	3,099	18,514
New Mexico	1,857	1,874	2,148	2,197	2,166	2,105	12,347
North Dakota	2,741	2,363	2,649	2,314	2,359	2,397	14,825
Oklahoma	186	154	168	163	166	160	997
Texas	4,742	4,249	4,744	4,378	4,592	4,497	27,203
Utah	2,095	1,899	1,960	1,794	1,903	1,799	11,450
Washington	429	387	432	416	427	418	
Wyoming	15,630	13,589	15,513	14,252	14,808	14,519	
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	90,308	81,785	91,330	82,918	86,234	84,314	
Pennsylvania Anthracite	244	227	266	246	272	274	
U.S. Total	90,551	82,012	91,596				

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

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Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; and Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report."

Table 5. Coal Production by State, July-December 1990
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	July	August	September	October	November	December	July-December	January-December
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite								
East of the Mississippi	47,415	55,544	50,420	56,791	50,946	44,784	305,901	627,661
Alabama	2,081	2,359	2,151	2,454	2,270	2,076	13,392	28,657
Illinois	4,227	5,056	4,465	5,098	5,107	4,746	28,699	60,233
Indiana	3,152	3,382	2,840	3,393	3,180	2,231	18,177	36,265
Kentucky	13,348	15,581	14,089	15,667	13,974	12,812	85,471	173,641
Kentucky, Eastern	9,935	11,490	10,409	11,641	10,298	9,539	63,311	128,544
Kentucky, Western	3,413	4,091	3,681	4,026	3,675	3,273	22,159	45,097
Maryland	270	313	284	317	278	255	1,716	3,546
Ohio	2,595	3,059	2,797	3,241	2,928	2,571	17,191	34,879
Pennsylvania Bituminous	4,573	5,808	5,609	6,129	5,164	3,818	31,101	67,534
Tennessee	477	549	498	459	420	401	2,805	6,187
Virginia	3,702	4,264	3,865	4,541	4,022	3,506	23,900	48,525
West Virginia	12,990	15,173	13,823	15,492	13,604	12,367	83,449	168,194
West of the Mississippi	32,169	36,015	32,424	36,331	35,568	30,739	203,245	398,373
Alaska	104	121	110	203	189	164	892	1,576
Arizona	894	1,028	929	1,200	1,115	963	6,129	11,304
Arkansas	1	1	1	-	-	-	4	13
California	-	-	45	3	-	-	48	61
Colorado	1,194	1,726	1,435	1,763	1,613	1,449	9,180	18,830
Iowa	32	37	34	34	32	28	196	380
Kansas	53	64	58	58	53	46	334	751
Louisiana	291	309	302	313	269	201	1,685	3,190
Missouri	192	207	187	207	192	167	1,152	2,488
Montana	2,933	3,039	2,737	3,589	3,806	3,211	19,315	37,829
New Mexico	1,479	1,999	2,098	2,493	1,820	1,427	11,316	23,663
North Dakota	2,427	2,515	2,265	2,424	2,570	2,168	14,369	29,194
Oklahoma	144	157	135	144	128	121	828	1,825
Texas	4,602	5,279	4,775	4,965	4,611	4,011	28,242	55,445
Utah	1,485	2,069	1,694	1,961	1,802	1,630	10,641	22,091
Washington	399	465	421	441	410	355	2,490	5,000
Wyoming	15,939	16,998	15,198	16,533	16,957	14,798	96,424	184,735
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	79,585	91,558	82,845	93,122	86,514	75,523	509,146	1,026,035
Pennsylvania Anthracite	225	280	262	296	259	153	1,475	3,000
U.S. Total	79,809	91,838	83,107	93,418	86,772	75,676	510,620	1,029,035

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

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